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Society

Vice President and Mrs. Marshall
Guests of Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh at Theater.

Members of the Serbian Mission Entertained at Lunch and Dinner.

Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, who has arrived at Washington for a stay of several weeks at the Willard, entertained at a box party at the Belasco last evening, when her guests included the Vice President and Mrs. Marshall, Judge and Mrs. C. C. McChord and Capt. Barber, U. S. A.

Friday evening Mrs. Walsh will entertain at dinner, later taking her guests to the theater.

Mrs. Marshall Field was hostess at luncheon today in honor of Dr. Milenko Vranitch, head of the Serbian mission; Gen. Rachitch, Col. Michailo Nenadovitch and Capt. Milan Jovitchitch, all members of the mission.

This evening the entire mission will dine with Mr. and Mrs. Breckinridge Long.

Dr. Sima Lozanitch, former minister of agriculture of Serbia and a member of the special mission now at Washington, was the honor guest at a dinner given last evening by the Secretary of Agriculture and Mrs. Houston.

The guests were the Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Lane, Senator Philander C. Hays, Miss Helen Lozanitch, Capt. Milan Jovitchitch, Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Crane, Dr. Alonzo E. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Hamlin, Miss Dorothy Hancock, Mrs. Thorncliffe Howe and Miss Elizabeth Shelley.

Count Enrico Luerna di Campiglione, captain of cavalry, assistant military attaché of the Italian embassy, entertained at dinner and bridge last evening at Rauscher's. His guests were Count Macchi di Cellere, the Italian ambassador; Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McConihe, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Noel, Mrs. Arnold, Gen. Guglielmotti, military attaché of the Italian embassy, and Capt. Kingman, assistant military attaché of the British embassy.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Penfield will entertain informally at dinner this evening, when their guests will include several of the debutantes of the season.

Mrs. Joseph E. Kuhn will be at home informally on Mondays at 1215 19th street.

Miss Katherine Heron, whose engagement to Ensign Algernon Foote Reeves, U. S. N. R. F., was recently announced, was the honor guest at a luncheon given today at the Army and Navy Club by Mrs. Bert F. Clark, wife of Lieut. Clark, U. S. N. The table was adorned with a centerpiece of Killarney roses, and the heart-shaped place cards were hand-painted in rosebud and forget-me-not designs.

The guests were Mrs. Kemper F. Cowing, Miss Marie Friday, Miss Wolhaupter, Miss Alice Livingston and Miss Helen Griffin.

Mrs. Clark will leave the city in a few days for Boston, where Lieut. Clark is stationed.

Mrs. Ernest Knaebel has been called to her home at Brookline, Mass., by the sudden death of her mother, Mrs. Farke.

Senator Phelan has as his guests Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Adams, of California, who will remain over the week end.

Miss C. E. Mason and Miss J. H. Farwell of the Castle, Tarrytown, are at the New Willard for a few days. Miss Mason has been appointed Director General of Pan-American Round Table and is in the city on business in connection with it.

Representative and Mrs. Ben Johnson, who were called to Kentucky on account of the railroad disaster near Hardtown, have returned to Washington, after an absence of several weeks.

Lieut. Robert Patterson, who has been spending a few days at his mother, Mrs. Raymond Patterson, will return to Camp Lee tomorrow.

Miss Cora Barry left yesterday to spend a week with friends at New York.

The Congressional Club will have Mr. Elliot Wadsworth, vice chairman of the American Red Cross, as guest of honor tomorrow afternoon. Mr. Wadsworth will speak on the "Red Cross Throughout the World" at 4 p. m. Tea will be served at 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Silas M. Smith will be hostess at an informal dinner this evening at his residence in honor of the arrival of her young house guest, Miss Elizabeth Macweeney of New York, who arrived at Washington this morning from Annapolis, where she has been passing the holidays.

Col. J. B. McDonald of the inspector general's department, Mrs. McDonald and their daughter, Miss Sue Alston McDonald, have left their apartments at the Hotel Richmond 15th and H streets northwest.

A card party for the benefit of the Woodley Park Red Cross auxiliary will be held at the Columbia Country Club, Chevy Chase, Md., Wednesday, January 9, at 2 o'clock.

Miss Frances Regina Holdreth of Clarendon, Va., is spending the Christmas holidays with her grandmother, Mrs. Ellen M. McConvey, at Willow Vale farm, near West Falls Church, Va.

Mrs. H. G. Bellin and daughter, Miss Lillian Bellin, have left for their home at Annapolis, Conn., after spending ten days here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Sternberg, widow of Gen. George M. Sternberg, U. S. A., has changed her residence to the Grafton for the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Henkle Butt of London, England, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Arington Margaret, to Mr. Shirley Corbin Morgan of Baltimore. The wedding will take place at Baltimore in February, where Miss Butt has been spending the past two winters with her aunt, Mrs. Louis Dugan, formerly of Augusta, Ga. Mr. Morgan is at Washington as chief of the security division of the alien property custodian department.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Wilkins entertained a few guests informally at dinner last evening.

Mr. Russell will entertain at a reception in compliment to Cardinal Gibbons in Baltimore on January 13, at 12:30 o'clock, at St. Patrick's Church. The reception will follow high mass at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Edgar William Allen, formerly Miss Carolyn Smoot of this city, who spent the holidays here visiting relatives and friends, returned to her home at Baltimore Wednesday.

The knitting teas given by the League of American Women every Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 at their headquarters, 1628 H street, will continue throughout January. The hostess this week will be Mrs. Florence Willard Day. Mrs. Isaac Pearson, president of the league, will receive the guests.

Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses have been issued to the following:

William J. Carson and Annie J. Prince.
W. Eugene Barrow and Ella M. Shadler.
Lewis Lurie of Little Falls, N. Y., and Melva Sakolsky of this city.
Arthur D. Keefe of this city and Julia J. Peterson of Brooklyn, N. Y.
Harry Morgan of Burgessville, Ont., and Mary L. Scott of this city.
Kurt O. Mestral, U. S. A., and Frances C. Hampton of this city.
Carroll Robinson and Christine Dorsey.
Bruno H. Whitt of Milwaukee, Wis., and Gertrude C. Browne of this city.
William H. Fletcher and Edna Burton.
Forrest G. Williams and Julia E. Trevis, both of Callen, Va.
Douglas A. Bealey and Fay Chapman.
Charles E. Lewis of Fredericksburg, Va., and Olive V. Goode of Winchester, Va.
Frank P. Stehlin of this city and Rose A. Macklin of St. Louis, Mo.
George B. Thomas and Alberta Johnson.
Frank M. G. Tyler and Hattie Craig.
Albert A. Husey and Grace A. Benz, both of St. Paul, Minn.
Robert T. McQuay of Middleburg, Va., and Myrtle J. Young of Leesburg, Va.
Samuel D. Patterson and Estelle Turner, both of Richmond, Va.
William Miller and Nannie Chapman.
Archibald Gill and Annie B. McCarver.
Edward M. Goddard of Akron, Ohio, and Marion H. Ellington, both of Richmond, Va.
Sedors Shapiro of Birmingham, Ala., and Nell F. Freeman of this city.
Morris R. Andrews and Winnie S. Harvey, both of Bowling Green, Va.
Edward T. Windham and Catherine E. Burns.

Deaths Reported.

The following deaths have been reported to the health department in the last twenty-four hours:

William O. Hazard, Jr., 4 years, Children's Hospital.
William Francis, 58 years, Garfield Hospital.
Katherine M. Spelshouse, 60 years, 1015 7th street northwest.
Rabson V. Brooks, 59 years, 1656 Euclid street northwest.
Jacob Geboff, 41 years, Emergency Hospital.
Lyla A. Scott, 77 years, 1840 California street northwest.
John E. Harner, 84 years, 1830 18th street northwest.
John Brown, 84 years, U. S. Soldiers' Home Hospital.
Rhebra Peters, 2 years, 1727 Corcoran street.
Evelle Moore, 27 years, Sibley Hospital.
Heiler E. Walsh, 41 years, 1424 W street northwest.
Sidney N. Culley, 49 years, 27-A Bates street northwest.
John Hunter, 19 years, Georgetown University Hospital.
John F. Olds, 39 years, 1115 15th street northwest.
Guy W. Young, 28 years, Walter Reed Hospital.
Martin F. Foley, 67 years, 1228 B street southwest.
Allyn B. Doyle, 24 years, 1731 B street northwest.
Helen H. House, 74 years, 1710 M street northwest.
Laura A. Ellis, 74 years, 700 G street northwest.
Mary Ostendorf, 5 years, Garfield Hospital.
George Davis, 75 years, St. Elizabeth Hospital.
Robert A. Peall, 55 years, 691 Highland avenue northwest.
Leonard Horvath, 2 days, 1212 Jackson street northeast.
James Greir, 68 years, 84 K street southwest.
Mary E. Lyles, 66 years, 1440 U street northwest.
Kate J. Wilson, 60 years, 720 10th street northwest.
Patrick Conley, 43 years, Naval Hospital.
Leonard Horvath, 2 days, 1212 Jackson street northeast.
Infant of John and Julia M. Keenan, 2 days, Sibley Hospital.
Infant of William C. and Rose R. Baker, 2 hours, 6001 Georgia street.
Paul Welch, 60 years, 60 G street southwest.
Edward Butler, 75 years, 84 Fenton street northwest.
Marie Beaumont, 24 years, 615 6th street northwest.
Mary Mallory, 84 years, 1510 28th street.
Margaret V. Dally, 72 years, 1147 20th street northwest.
Margaret Ellis, 52 years, 220 F street southwest.

TO REBUILD HALIFAX.

Canadian Government Authorized Commandeering of Lumber.

HALIFAX, N. S., January 3.—Official announcement has been made here that the Canadian government has adopted an order in council authorizing the commandeering of lumber, timber and building material for reconstruction of the section of Halifax destroyed by the explosion of a munition ship and fire December 6. Building material in any part of Canada may be seized for shipment here.

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Wife of Capt. Bristol, U. S. N., who has been the guest of Mrs. John H. Russell.

TRANSFER U. S. OFFICERS.

National Army Men Given Posts With Regular Forces.

Maj. Gen. Charles H. Muir, National Army, has been relieved from duty at Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C., and assigned to the command of the 8th Division (Regular Army) at Camp Logan, Houston, Tex.

Maj. Gen. George H. Cameron, National Army, will proceed to Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C., and assume command of the 4th Division (Regular Army).

Maj. Gen. George W. Read, National Army, will proceed to El Paso, Tex., and assume command of the 15th Cavalry Division (Regular Army).

Maj. Gen. James Parker is relieved from the command of the 32d Division and will proceed to Camp Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., and assume command of the 8th Division.

Brig. Gen. William G. Haan is relieved from the command of the 57th Field Artillery Brigade and assigned to the command of the 32d Division, Camp MacArthur, Waco, Tex.

Brig. Gen. Edward F. McGlachlin is relieved from the command of the 165th Field Artillery Brigade, 50th Division, Camp Travis, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., and will proceed to Camp MacArthur, Waco, Tex., and assume command of the 57th Field Artillery Brigade, 32d Division.

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